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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
EASTERN DIVISION**

LAREDO NATIONAL  
BANCSHARES, INC., et al.,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

DONALD E. SHULTZ,

Defendant.

CASE NO. 00 CV 2081

JUDGE WELLS

MOTION TO EXTEND TIME TO  
MOVE OR PLEAD

Defendant, Donald E. Schultz, respectfully moves this court for an order extending the time within which he may move or plead to the Complaint. Plaintiffs have previously informally granted Defendant an extension of time for twenty (20) days to respond to the Complaint that expires on September 25, 2000. Plaintiffs are unwilling to grant another informal extension. Thus, the need for this motion.

The undersigned submits this motion on Defendant's behalf, not for the purpose of entering a general appearance in this case, but solely for the purpose of protecting the answer day so that Defendant may explore potential settlement options and determine if has the financial capability of retaining the undersigned to defend him in this litigation.

A brief in support of this motion is attached hereto and incorporated herein. On the

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*Granted to 17 October 2000. Judge Wells 9/26/00*